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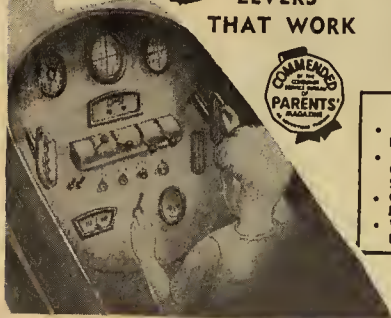
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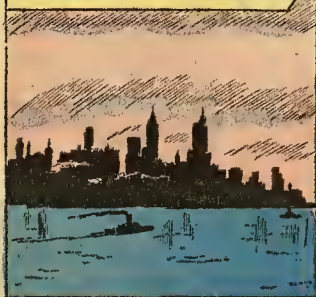


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HERE YARE! GET YER LATE PAPER!



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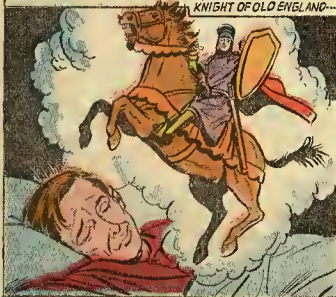
IF...IF ONLY I COULDA LIVED THEN...AND SAT ON A THRONE...

EACH NIGHT, HE RETURNED TO HIS POOR, SHABBY ROOM...

CASTLES AND THRONES... AND NOW THIS!



BUT IN SLEEP, HE WAS NO LONGER POOR ROBBIE, SCORNFUL BY ALL...BUT **ROBIN STALWART YOUNG** KNIGHT OF OLD ENGLAND...



...AND KING ARTHUR HIMSELF NAILED HIS BRAVERY...

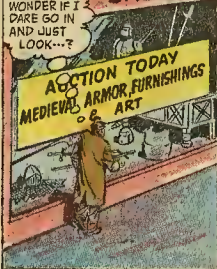
I DUB THEE **SIR ROBIN...KNIGHT OF THE ROUND TABLE!**



BUT MORNING BROUGHT THE MISERY OF REALITY! THEN...SEVERAL WEEKS LATER...

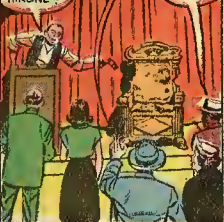
GOLLY! I...I WONDER IF I DARE GO IN AND JUST LOOK...?

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AND NOW WE COME TO NO. 2310...WHO KNOWS, **KINGS** MAY HAVE SAT IN IT! WHAT AM I OFFERED FOR THIS OLD THRONE?

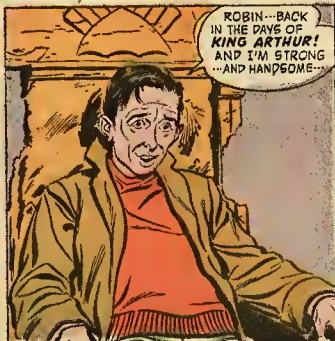


OLD IS RIGHT! BOY, IS THAT BEAT-UP!

IT'S A **WRECK!** YOU OUGHT TO PAY SOMEBODY TO TAKE IT AWAY!

OH, YEAH? WELL, LET ME TELL YOU THE **STORY** OF THAT THRONE! IT'S SUPPOSED TO HAVE BEEN MADE IN THE YEAR 1146 BY A GREAT BRITISH SORCERER...AND THERE'S A SORT OF LEGEND ABOUT IT! IF ANYONE REALLY **GOOD** SITS IN IT, IT WILL BRING HIM HIS **HEART'S DESIRE!**



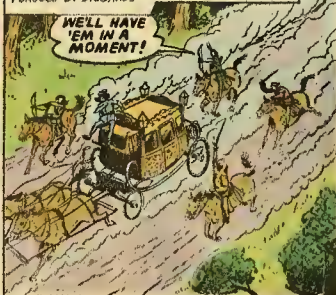


SLOWLY, HIS VISION CLEARED! WHY... HE WASN'T IN HIS ROOM ANY LONGER! THIS WAS AN ENGLISH COUNTRY! DE-- HE WAS MOUNTED ON A HORSE, AND WEARING ARMOR! AND HE FELT DIFFERENT... LOOKED DIFFERENT...



I... I'VE
BECOME ROBIN
...AND I'M...
BACK IN OLD
ENGLAND!

BUT HE HAD NO TIME TO DWELL ON HIMSELF! DOWN BELOW THERE WERE SHOUTS... A COACH WAS BEING PURSUED BY BRIGANDS...



WE'LL HAVE
'EM IN A
MOMENT!



SHE'S A RICH PRIZE!
A LADY IN WAITING OF
KING ARTHUR'S COURT
...AYE, SHE'LL FETCH
A FINE RANSOM!

LET
ME...
GO!

THEN, LIKE A FIGHTING WHIRLWIND, ROBIN GALLOPED INTO THEIR MIDST!



RELEASE
HER,
KNAVES!



HE WAS OUTNUMBERED... BUT THE
ROBBERS WERE NO MATCH FOR HIS
STRENGTH AND VALOR...

FLEE!
HE FIGHTS WITH
THE POWER OF A
DOZEN MEN!



THEY'LL TROUBLE
THEE NO LONGER,
MILADY!

I... I DON'T
HAVE THE
WORDS TO
THANK THEE...



SHE WAS **LADY ASTRID**, ATTACHED
TO THE KING'S COURT AT CAMELOT...

I AM KING ARTHUR'S
NIECE... THY NAME IS
ROBIN, THOU
SAYEST?

YES... AND
BY THY LEAVE,
I SHALL ESCORT
THEE IN SAFETY
BACK TO THE
COURT!

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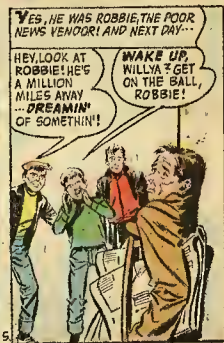
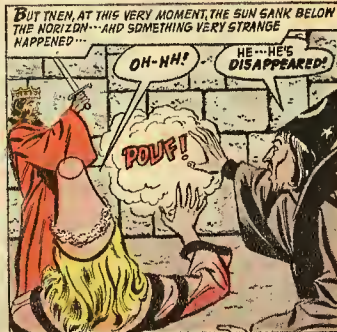
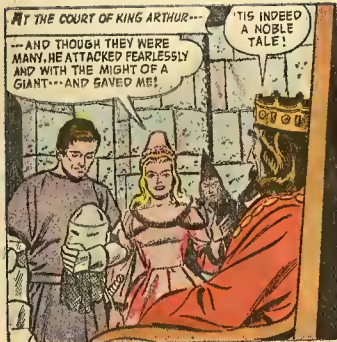
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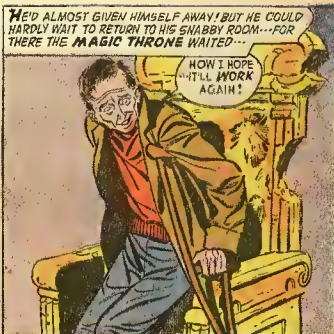


THOU'D BEST KEEP CIVIL TONGUES IN THY HEADS... OR FEEL THE GOOD RIGHT ARM OF SIR ROBIN!

YEE-OHWW! WILL YA LISTEN TO THAT!

SOMEBODY CALL THE WAGON!

"THE GOOD RIGHT ARM OF SIR ROBIN!" HAW-HAW... THAT GUY KILLS ME!



HE'D ALMOST GIVEN HIMSELF AWAY! BUT HE COULD HARDLY WAIT TO RETURN TO HIS SNABBY ROOM...FOR THERE THE MAGIC THRONE WAITED...

HOW I HOPE 'T'LL WORK AGAIN!



THOUSANDS OF MILES AWAY... CENTURIES IN THE PAST...

NEXT TIME, THOU'LLT BELIEVE MY COUNSEL! I KNEW HIM FOR AN EVIL WIZARD FROM THE FIRST!

'TIS HARD TO BELIEVE... HIS FACE WAS SO FRANK AND OPEN! BUT THE MAGICAL MANNER IN WHICH HE DISAPPEARED... TRULY HE MUST BE IN LEAGUE WITH SATAN!



NEXT MOMENT...

'TIS HE!

POUF!

THE WIZARD HIMSELF! SEIZE HIM, MEN-AT-ARMS!



TAKEN BY SURPRISE AND OUTNUMBERED...

FETCH THE STRONGEST CHAINS!

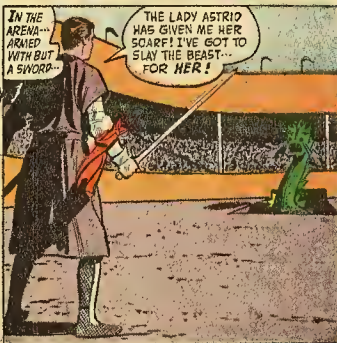


A WIZARD MUST BE EXECUTED... BUT LADY ASTRID BEGGED FOR HIS LIFE...

HE HAS BUT ONE CHANCE! LET HIM FIGHT THE DRAGON THAT IS IMPRISONED IN THE LOWER DEPTHS OF THE CASTLE... IF HE BE GOOD, AND NO EVIL WIZARD, HE WILL SURVIVE!

NO, NO... SPARE HIM THAT! NOT THE DRAGON...

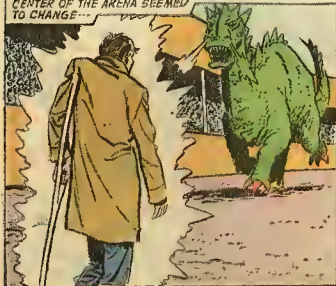
LET THE CREATURE BE BROUGHT INTO THE ARENA, MILADY! I FEAR HIM NOT!



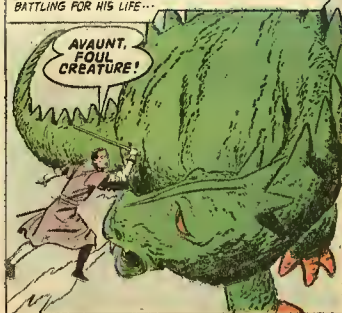
IN THE ARENA... ARMED WITH BUT A SWORD...

THE LADY ASTRID HAS GIVEN ME HER SCARF! I'VE GOT TO SLAY THE BEAST... FOR HER!

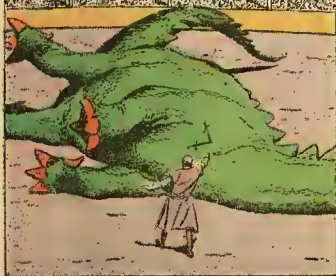
FOR A FLEETING MOMENT, ONLOOKERS RUBBED THEIR EYES, CONVINCED THAT THEY WERE BEWITCHED! FOR EVEN AS THE DRAGON CHARGED FORWARD, THE FIGURE IN THE CENTER OF THE ARENA SEEMED TO CHANGE...



BUT NOW THE FIGHT WAS JOINED...AND IT WAS SIR ROBIN, BATTLING FOR HIS LIFE...



HE STRUCK WITH MIGHTY STRENGTH, WITH DEADLY ACCURACY...AND THE HUGE DRAGON WAS SLAIN!



HE'S WON...IT **MUST** BE MAGIC! I'LL HAVE NO OTHER SORCERER TO RIVAL ME...SIR ROBIN MUST BE PUT OUT OF THE WAY, **ERE** HE GROW **TOO** POWERFUL!



MERLIN'S OPPORTUNITY CAME WHEN...

LADY ASTRID GOES TO VISIT HER MOTHER! IT SHALL BE YOUR TASK TO ACCOMPANY HER AND GUARD HER AGAINST DANGER!

TASK? NAY, CALL IT A PRIVILEGE!



BUT PERIL AWAITED! THEY FIRST SENSED ITS PRESENCE WHEN...

LOOK OUT!



ONLY FAST ACTION SAVED THEM FROM THE AMBUSH! THEY FLED...WITH THE PURSUERS HOT ON THEIR TRACKS...

'TIS MERLIN...NEVER DID I TRUST HIM! IF...IF ONLY WE CAN REACH MY MOTHER'S CASTLE AHEAD OF HIM...



THEY MADE IT BY ONLY THE SLIGHTEST OF MARGINS...

QUICK...CLOSE THE GATES! AND MAN THE WALLS FOR DEFENSE!

IT WAS THE BEGINNING OF A BITTER SIEGE...

WHEN THE CROSSBOWS HAVE BROUGHT DOWN ENOUGH OF THEM, WE'LL ATTACK IN FORCE! WITH OUR NUMBERS, THEY CAN'T RESIST US!

IT GOES BADLY FOR US...WE ARE OUTMANNED! I DIDN'T DREAM THAT HE'D DARE STRIKE AGAINST KING ARTHUR'S NIECE, MUCH AS HE HATES ME!

HE HATES ME, TOO...I'VE BEEN HIS ENEMY AT THE COURT! HE...HE'S GOING TO TRY TO DISPOSE OF BOTH OF US!

UNDER SIR ROBIN'S ABLE COMMAND, CHARGE AFTER CHARGE WAS BEATEN OFF...

THOUGHT WONDERFUL, ROBIN... BUT FOR THEE, THE BATTLE WOULD LONG SINCE HAVE BEEN LOST!

BUT EVEN AS LADY ASTRID SPOKE THESE WORDS, THE SUN WAS SINKING BELOW THE HORIZON! AND TO HER AMAZEMENT...

HE'S... VANISHED AGAIN!

POUF!

BACK IN HIS SNABBY ROOM, ROBBIE AGONIZED, KNOWING THAT HE HAD LEFT LADY ASTRID ALONE AND IN DANGER... AND KNOWING THAT THE MAGIC THRONE COULD NOT BRING HIM BACK BEFORE THE FOLLOWING NOON!

IF... IF ONLY HER MEN-AT-ARMS CAN HOLD OUT UNTIL TOMORROW! OTHERWISE... SHE'S LOST!

THE MOMENTS DRAGGED UNTIL...NEXT DAY...

IT'S TIME... AT LAST!

ONCE AGAIN, HE SWIRLED BACK THROUGH THE CENTURIES...



BACK IN OLD ENGLAND, THE CASTLE GATES CRASHED DOWN UNDER THE CHARGE OF MERLIN'S MEN! BUT SUDDENLY... LOOMING GIGANTICALLY OVER THE PARAPETS...



FLEE... WHILE YET WE LIVE!

HIS MAGIC IS TOO GREAT FOR US!



REASSUMING HIS NORMAL SIZE, SIR ROBIN WAS REUNITED WITH LADY ASTRID...

I DID NOT WISH TO LEAVE THEE IN THY MOMENT OF DANGER! HOW THOU MUST HAVE SUFFERED... AND FEARED...

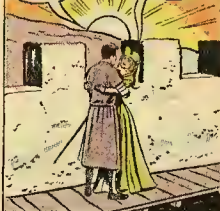
AYE... BUT NEVER DID I DOUBT THEE!



AND WHEN, ONCE AGAIN, THE SUN STARTED TO SINK BELOW THE HILLS...

ALWAYS IT MUST BE THUS... I MUST LEAVE THEE ONCE MORE!

CAN WE NEVER... BE AS OTHER LOVERS, ROBIN?



BUT WHAT WAS THIS? THE SUN HAD DISAPPEARED NOW... BUT STILL THEY WERE TOGETHER!

WHAT MIRACLE IS THIS? THOUGHT STILL WITH ME... HERE IN MY ARMS...

TRULY I KNOW NOT, MY DARLING! BUT WITHIN ME IS THE FEELING THAT ALWAYS, WE SHALL BE TOGETHER... FOR THE REST OF OUR LIVES!



THE REASON? BACK IN THE 20TH CENTURY... IN ROBBIE'S POOR ROOM...

I GUESS POOR ROBBIE'S DEAD. ALL RIGHT! MUST HAVE BEEN CRAZY... SITTING IN THAT OLD THRONE LIKE THAT...

YEAH, BUT LOOK AT HIS FACE! IT'S CHANGED! THERE'S SOMETHIN'... ALMOST NOBLE ABOUT IT!



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LION *and the* UNICORN

Victor Clarke and Philip Homer shared one thing in common—they were both archeologists. Outside of that, they were as different as two men could be. They'd been rivals in the field of archeology for years, and hated each other. Each derided the other's pet theories.

Clarke felt that the legend of the *Unicorn* had a basis in fact—that these beasts had once really existed. As for Homer, he had a profound faith that the *Xeron* had once actually walked the earth—the *Xeron* being a fabled gigantic lion.

The strange thing was that both men's research indicated that the last spot where these giant animals had existed was the Marawi Valley in Africa. But it couldn't be proved, because there was no way to reach the Marawi Valley. It was one of the most remote spots in the world, and circled by giant, impassable mountains. Even if a plane could fly over them, there was no landing in the rough terrain.

No landing, that is, until the Glidden Helicopter was developed. This was a large, super-powerful autogyro with a range that would enable it to make such a trip, carrying a cargo of a size that an archeological expedition would require. It could land in the valley, there was no doubt about that. And so two rival expeditions set out at once—the Clarke expedition, seeking some trace of the ancient *Unicorn*—the Homer expedition intent on proving that the huge lion *Xeron* had truly existed in the ancient past.

Their helicopters brought them to the Marawi Valley, and the search commenced. It was an exhaustive procedure, involving considerable digging, and producing not the least result. They found not the slightest evidence that either animal had ever been anything but a fairytale, a legend. And in disappointment, both decided to abandon their quests.

On the morning they were supposed to depart, each man took a farewell walk, and they met in a secluded glade. A quarrel developed, and insults were freely traded. "Unicorn—bahi!" said Homer. "You're crazy to think one ever existed!" And "You and your giant lion!" retorted Clarke. "You're a phoney!" Then he broke off as he caught sight of a huge print in

the earth nearby. "Say, I never saw anything like *that*," he muttered. "How about *this* one?" countered Homer, in sudden excitement. It was a second print, different than the first, but just as huge, just as unknown. In mounting eagerness, the two men followed the tracks. They led up, up into the mountains, towards the spot where a plume of smoke indicated the presence of an active volcano. "Wait—did you hear that?" asked Clarke. It was a roar—and then came an answering roar. The men were running now, in feverish excitement. They rounded a turn in the rough trail, and stood rooted in amazement.

Up above, the cone of the volcano could be clearly seen for the first time. And there, on the very rim, two gigantic creatures faced each other. One was like a huge horse, except for the tremendous spiral horn that protruded from its forehead. *A unicorn—alive!* And the other had the unmistakable lineaments of a lion, but many times the size of the largest lion they had ever seen. It was a *Xeron—also living!* They were circling each other, roaring with the sound of thunder itself. "It—it's like the old nursery rhyme," gasped Clarke. "The lion and the unicorn—fighting for the throne! In this case, survival!"

And then the great beasts met, in such a fight as had never before been seen. It was the Unicorn's deiving horn and flashing hooves against the fierce claws and rending fangs of the *Xeron*. First the advantage was with one, then the other. And as the fascinated men watched, they tottered upon the brink of the crater—then tumbled headlong into the molten lava!

All traces of both beasts were swallowed up, of course. And search as they did, neither man could find the slightest trace of the beasts' existence in the valley. Obviously, these had been the very last of their species. And Victor Clarke and Philip Homer knew that nobody would ever believe what they had witnessed, so there would be no purpose in even reporting it. The scientific world wondered how it was that the two men, who had been lifelong enemies, returned as friends—but at least you know the story!

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IN THE OBSERVATORY TOWER ATOP SIR ROBERT'S SCOTTISH MANSION, POLICE WERE INVESTIGATING A BAFFLING MYSTERY...

HE COULDN'T HAVE JUST **VANISHED** FROM THE FACE OF THE EARTH! THERE'S GOT TO BE SOME CLUE IN THIS WRECKAGE!

The ECCENTRIC YOUNG ASTRONOMER HAD BEEN LAST SEEN ENTERING THE OBSERVATORY! TOWARD DAWN, AN EXPLOSION HAD BEEN HEARD...

THE BUTLER FOUND THE PLACE A SHAMBLES --WITH THESE PIECES OF GLASS STREWN EVERYWHERE!

YET THE BLAST COULDN'T HAVE PULVERIZED SIR ROBERT WITHOUT LEAVING A TRACE! SO WHERE IS HE?

WITHIN THE SCIENTIST'S LOCKED DESK...

HIS PERSONAL DIARY...
WITH A NOTE PINNED
TO IT!

BETTER TAKE
IT TO THE CHIEF!



**AT SCOTLAND
YARD...**

THIS IS THE ONLY CLUE WE'VE
TURNED UP, SIR!

I'LL READ IT THOROUGHLY!
MEANWHILE, KEEP INVESTIGATING!



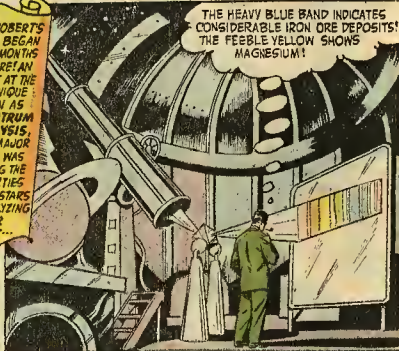
**FROM THE VERY FIRST PAGE, THE DIARY
PROVED AN AMAZING DOCUMENT...**

**BY GEORGE! COULD THE MAN
HAVE BEEN... OUT OF HIS MIND?**



**SIR ROBERT'S
STORY BEGAN
A FEW MONTHS
BEFORE! AN
EXPERT AT THE
TECHNIQUE
KNOWN AS
SPECTRUM
ANALYSIS,
HIS MAJOR
WORK WAS
LEARNING THE
PROPERTIES OF
THE STARS
BY ANALYZING
THEIR LIGHT...**

THE HEAVY BLUE BAND INDICATES
CONSIDERABLE IRON ORE DEPOSITS!
THE FEEBLE YELLOW SHOWS
MAGNESIUM!

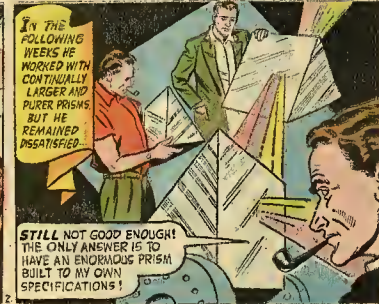


AMAZING HOW A
SIMPLE GLASS
PRISM CAN TAKE
A PURE WHITE BEAM
AND BREAK IT DOWN
INTO ALL THE COLORS
OF THE RAINBOW!
IF I HAD BETTER
EQUIPMENT, I
COULD LEARN
MORE!



**IN THE
FOLLOWING
WEEKS HE
WORKED WITH
CONTINUALLY
LARGER AND
Purer PRISMS
BUT HE
REMAINED
DISSATISFIED...**

**STILL NOT GOOD ENOUGH!
THE ONLY ANSWER IS TO
HAVE AN ENORMOUS PRISM
BUILT TO MY OWN
SPECIFICATIONS!**



IT WAS DURING THIS PERIOD THAT HE MADE A STARTLING DISCOVERY...

THE LIGHT I'VE BEEN STUDYING FROM THE FOURTH PLANET IN THE LUXTON SOLAR GROUP INDICATES CONDITIONS EXACTLY SIMILAR TO WHAT WE HAVE HERE ON EARTH! THERE'S NO REASON WHY THAT PLANET COULDN'T SUPPORT LIFE!



AS HE STUDIED THE RAYS DIRECTLY, ALL DOUBT VANISHED...

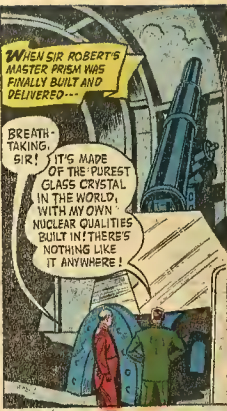
NO QUESTION ABOUT IT... THAT PLANET HAS BOTH AIR AND WATER! AFTER I GET MY NEW PRISM... I'LL BE SURE!



WHEN SIR ROBERT'S MASTER PRISM WAS FINALLY BUILT AND DELIVERED...

BREATH-TAKING, SIR!

IT'S MADE OF THE PUREST GLASS CRYSTAL IN THE WORLD, WITH MY OWN NUCLEAR QUALITIES BUILT IN! THERE'S NOTHING LIKE IT ANYWHERE!



AS THE SUN SET LATE THAT AFTERNOON...

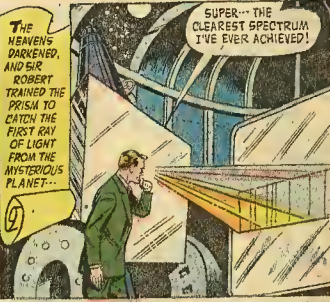
TONIGHT MAY BE REMEMBERED FOREVER IN THE ANNALS OF SCIENCE... FOR BY DAWN I MAY HAVE **PROOF** THAT LIFE EXISTS ELSEWHERE!



THE HEAVENS DARKENED, AND SIR ROBERT TRAINED THE PRISM TO CATCH THE FIRST RAY OF LIGHT FROM THE MYSTERIOUS PLANET...

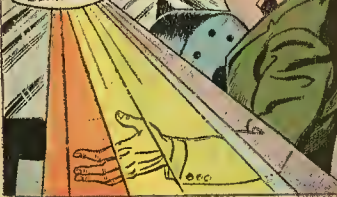
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SUPER... THE CLEAREST SPECTRUM I'VE EVER ACHIEVED!



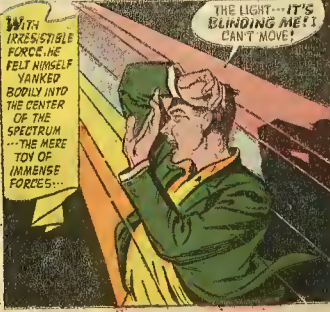
AS HE EXAMINED THE SPECTRUM MORE CLOSELY...

M-MY ARM! THE LIGHT SEEMS TO BE HOLDING IT... LIKE A MAGNET! I CAN'T PULL AWAY! I'M BEING SUCKED INTO THE BEAM!



WITH IRRESISTIBLE FORCE, HE FELT HIMSELF YANKED BODILY INTO THE CENTER OF THE SPECTRUM... THE MERE TOY OF IMMENSE FORCES...

THE LIGHT... IT'S BLINDING ME! I CAN'T MOVE!



AND NOW THE INCREDIBLE HAPPENED!
IN THE SPACE OF A SINGLE EXPLOSIVE
INSTANT HE FELT HIMSELF DISINTEGRATED
INTO LIGHT PARTICLES...

RIEEE!

NO LONGER
EXISTING AS A
MATERIAL SUBSTANCE,
IN SOME STRANGE
WAY NOW A THING
OF PURE ENERGY,
HE WAS PULLED
WITH VIOLENT
POWER THROUGH
THE PRISM...

NO!
NO!

HE HURTLIED AT
THE SPEED OF LIGHT
THROUGH SPACE, THE
PRISONER OF THE VERY
BEAM COMING FROM THE
FAR DISTANT PLANET...

GREAT FIERY NEBULAE WHIRLED BY AT ENORMOUS
VELOCITIES & HALF-WAY ACROSS THE VAST GALAXY OF
THE MILKY WAY...

THAT MUST BE WHERE I'M HEADED!
IT--IT'S A PLANET LIKE THE EARTH!
I CAN MAKE OUT WATER AND
CONTINENTS!

INSTANTS LATER...

I... I'VE LANDED SAFELY!
AND SOMEHOW I'M FLESH
AND BONE AGAIN!

HE--- HE FLEW
DOWN FROM THE
SKY! KNEEL!
HE IS A GOD!

HE HAD LANDED ON THE
PLANET AMID A PRIMITIVE
TRIBE OF PERFECTLY NORMAL
HUMAN BEINGS, WHO REGARDED
HIS FANTASTIC MATERIALIZATION
WITH TERROR...

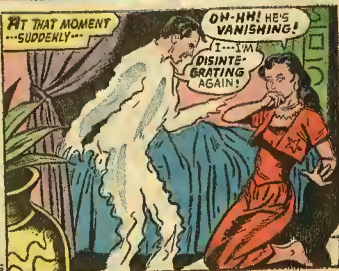
MERCY!
HAVE
MERCY!

I'M NOT A
SUPERNATURAL
BEING! STAND
UP!

STILL REGARDING HIM WITH AWE, THE NATIVES OBEYED...

DO NOT HARM US,
OH ALL-POWERFUL!

I TELL YOU YOU'RE
ALL MISTAKEN!
TAKE ME TO YOUR
LEADER--I'LL
EXPLAIN MATTERS
TO HIM!



TRANSFORMED MYSTERIOUSLY ONCE MORE INTO PURE ENERGY, HE WAS AGAIN THE VICTIM OF IMMENSE FORCES...

I'M RETURNING TO EARTH! BUT WHY? WHAT'S CAUSING THIS?



INSTANTS LATER...

I'M BACK IN THE OBSERVATORY--SAFE!

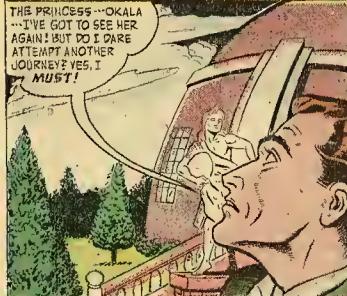


DAWN IS COMING UP! I... I THINK I UNDERSTAND! AT DAWN, THE LIGHT FROM THE STAR BEGINS TO FADE IN THE PRISM BECAUSE THE SUN IS COMING UP! AS A RESULT, MY EXISTENCE IN SPACE FADES WITH IT!



ALL THAT DAY HE WAS TORN BY CONFLICTING EMOTIONS...

THE PRINCESS... OKALA... I'VE GOT TO SEE HER AGAIN! BUT DO I DARE ATTEMPT ANOTHER JOURNEY? YES, I MUST!



THAT NIGHT, CARRYING MEDICINES IN HIS POCKET, HE WAITED BREATHLESSLY FOR THE PRISM TO DO ITS ASTOUNDING WORK...

IT'S... HAPPENING! I'M EXPLODING INTO LIGHT PARTICLES!



HIS FEELING FOR THE GIRL WAS INTENSIFIED BY A GREAT SENSE OF RESPONSIBILITY...

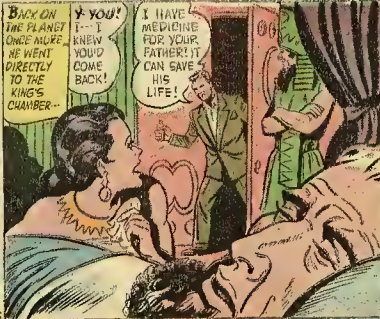
I CAN'T LET THE OLD KING DIE WITHOUT TRYING TO HELP! AND THOSE POOR, PRIMITIVE PEOPLE... THERE'S SO MUCH I CAN TEACH THEM!

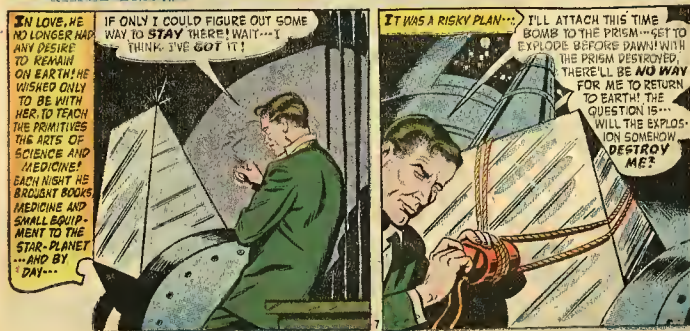
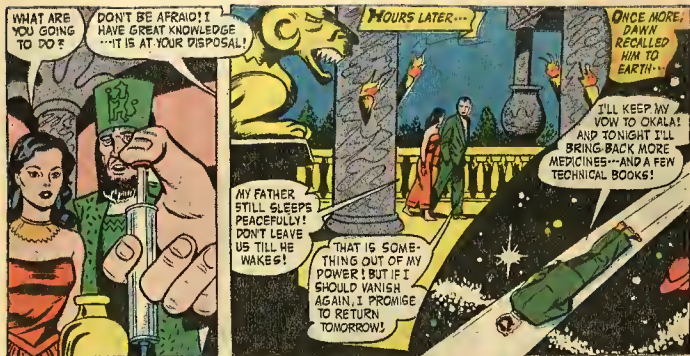


BACK ON THE PLANET ONCE MORE, HE WENT DIRECTLY TO THE KING'S CHAMBER...

★ YOU! I-- I KNEW YOU'D COME BACK!

I HAVE MEDICINE FOR YOUR FATHER! IT CAN SAVE HIS LIFE!





AT THAT POINT, SIR ROBERT'S DIARY
CAME TO AN ABRUPT END...

GREAT SCOTT, NOW I'LL NEVER
FIND OUT WHAT HAPPENED! IS
THIS FANTASY OR TRUTH?



WHEN THE INVESTIGATORS AGAIN REPORTED
TO THE CHIEF...

NO TRACE OF SIR ROBERT, SIR! ONE
PECULIAR THING, THOUGH... BEFORE
HIS DISAPPEARANCE HE'D BEEN BUYING
A LOT OF MEDICINE AND SMALL PIECES
OF EQUIPMENT THAT COULD BE CARRIED
BY HAND! ALSO, LOTS OF TECHNICAL
BOOKS ARE MISSING FROM HIS
LIBRARY!



THE CHIEF OF SCOTLAND YARD TOLD THEM
THE CONTENTS OF THE DIARY...

I KNOW YOU'LL THINK
ME MAD, BUT I BELIEVE
IT-- EVERY WORD! IT'S THE
ONLY EXPLANATION! I'D GIVE
ANYTHING TO KNOW
WHETHER SIR ROBERT
SURVIVED THE
EXPLOSION!

IF THE
DIARY IS
TRUE --
THAT'S
SOMETHING
WE'LL
NEVER
KNOW!



NO... THEY WOULD
NEVER KNOW WHAT
HAPPENED AS THE
FATEFUL HOUR FOR
THE EXPLOSION OF
THE PRISM DREW
CLOSE...

WHY ARE
YOU SO
NERVOUS,
ROBERT?



IT'S JUST ABOUT
TIME -- RIGHT
NOW!

HE HAD NO WAY OF KNOWING
WHAT WOULD HAPPEN! WOULD
HE IN SOME STRANGE WAY BE
BLASTED TO SMITHEREENS?
AT THE FATAL MOMENT, A
VIOLENT TREMOR
STRUCK HIS
BODY...

ROBERT!
DARLING,
WHAT...?



OH-NHH...

HE WAS
UNCONSCIOUS
A LONG TIME,
BUT WHEN HE
OPENED HIS
EYES...

THANK
HEAVENS!
ARE YOU
-- ALL
RIGHT?

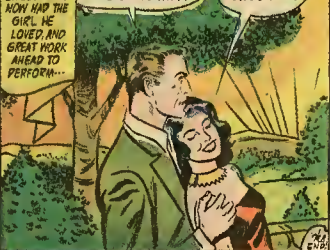
YES, OKALA... EVERYTHING IS
PERFECT NOW! I -- I'LL NEVER
LEAVE YOU AGAIN! MY PLAN
WORKED!



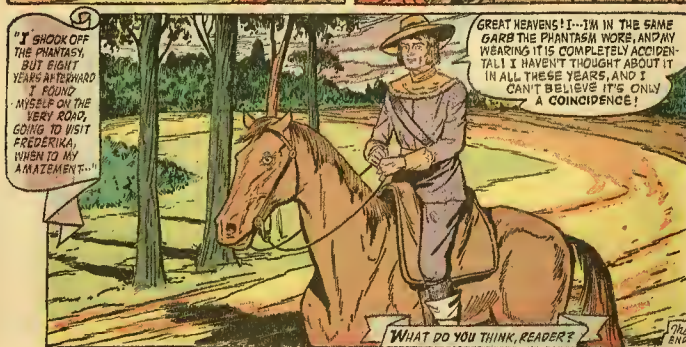
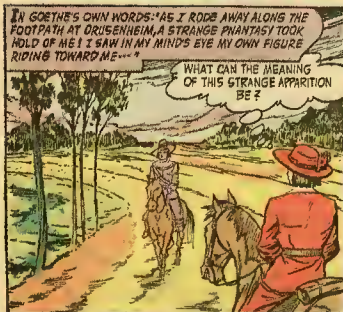
HE HAD NO
REGRETS AT
HIS ETERNAL
EXILE! FOR HE
NOW HAD THE
GIRL HE
LOVED, AND
GREAT WORK
AHEAD TO
PERFORM...

WITHIN A FEW YEARS I'LL
CREATE A GREAT CIVILIZA-
TION HERE! IGNORANCE
AND FEAR WILL BE A
THING OF THE PAST!

I KNOW IT, MY
DARLING! NOW,
PLEASE -- STOP
TALKING AND
KISS ME!



ANNALS of the OCCULT!



EDITOR



This is your Editor, with a warm welcome to all "Adventures Into The Unknown" fans. We've got an interesting collection of mail out of which we've culled several examples to bring to your attention. Before we get to them, however, here's an earnest request. Don't forget to write us, telling us what you like or don't like about this magazine of yours and ours. Send your letter to The Editor, "Adventures Into The Unknown", 347 Fifth Avenue, New York 16, N. Y. And now—let's go!

"Dear Editor:-

'Adventures Into The Unknown's' leadership in the field of weird fiction is unquestionable. I've been reading it for a long time and have been meaning to write, but I never knew what to say. So I'll let you do all the writing, and I'll just read everything you print. Keep up the good work!

—Daniel Derrico, Montclair, N. J."

That's a fair proposition, Daniel! And you can be assured that we'll do our level best to bring you the level best in exciting reading!

"Dear Editor:-

I think 'Adventures Into The Unknown' is terrific, especially 'Secret Of The Aztecs' and 'The Ambassadors'. I hope you will publish more like those!

—Joe Urquiza"

Here's a strange one—this welcome bit of fan mail reached us through diplomatic channels, from a Central American legation. Nice to know we've got readers everywhere!

"Dear Editor:-

I've been reading your gab for a year, and I think your mag is the worst ever published! In issue No. 25, the cover shows that 'a terrible secret process is going on in his brain' and your story, 'Tornado's Wake' didn't even have any secret process in it. When I bought the mag, I presumed

it was some formula or something and when I brought it home and read it, it was entirely misleading. If you dare, print that in your mag and eat it.

—Billy Armstrong, Boston, Mass."

We dare, all right. We've gone into this cover business many times and stated that we strive to make our covers interesting and challenging, without repeating what's shown in the story itself. If you think our book is so awful, how come you've been reading it for a year?

"Dear Editor:-

I recently started reading your magazine. I have read some of the letters in 'Let's Talk It Over', and think it is wrong to complain about the covers of 'Adventures Into The Unknown' even if they do depart from the stories. Exciting covers are what compels a person to want a look inside. They say that 'curiosity killed the cat', but not in this case—your stories are wonderful and hold a person's interest. You must be a genius to think them up. All in all, I like your whole magazine!

—Katherine Crawford, Miami, Fla."

Give the story credit to our writers, Katherine—and we're glad they please you. We're happy for your viewpoint on our covers—you sure do disagree with the last writer!

"Dear Editor:-

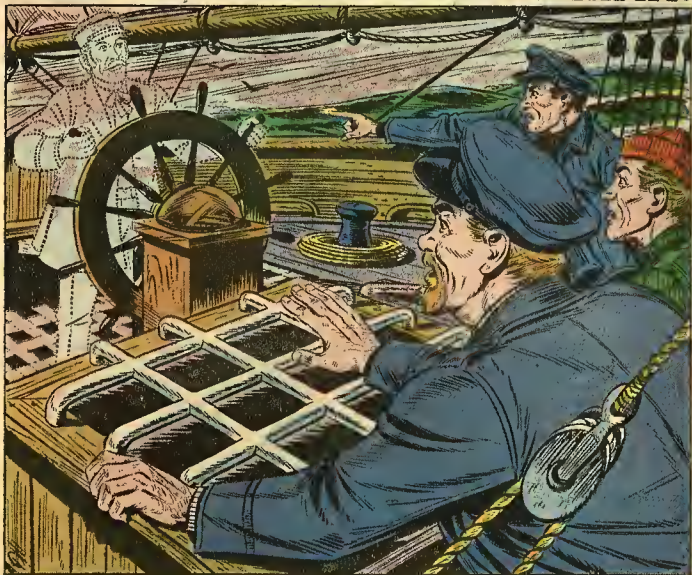
I picked up my first copy of 'Adventures Into The Unknown' and I liked the story 'The Man Within' very much. If you keep up stories like that, I shall look forward to every issue. I only wish you could publish your fine magazine much more often! Thank you for all my pleasures.

Roger Markowitz, Great Neck, N. Y."

'The Man Within' has been receiving much favorable notice. It's what we call a fantasy story and we'd like to know what our other readers think of the idea of publishing this type more often. We're waiting to hear from you!

The sea throngs with countless legends of the supernatural! But none is so mystifying, so breathlessly amazing, as the strange story of the —

SHIP WITHOUT A HELMSMAN!



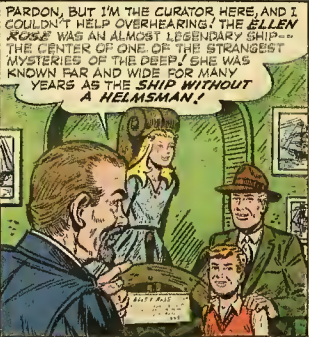
THE MARINE MUSEUM--MELBOURNE, AUSTRALIA--

IS THERE **REALLY** A STORY ABOUT EVERYTHING THAT'S HERE, DADDY? HOW ABOUT THAT WHEEL--AND THE FIGUREHEAD?

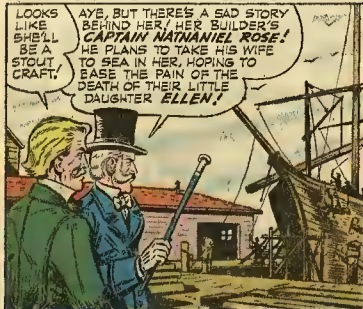
HHMM--IT SAYS THEY COME FROM THE OLD SAILING VESSEL **ELLEN ROSE**, BUILT IN 1853--BUT IT DOESN'T GIVE THE STORY!



PARDON, BUT I'M THE CURATOR HERE, AND I COULDN'T HELP OVERHEARING! THE **ELLEN ROSE** WAS AN ALMOST LEGENDARY SHIP--THE CENTER OF ONE OF THE STRANGEST MYSTERIES OF THE DEEP! SHE WAS KNOWN FAR AND WIDE FOR MANY YEARS AS THE **SHIP WITHOUT A HELMSMAN!**



"AT THE BEGINNING, SHE WAS A SHIP THAT GREW OUT OF A GREAT LOVE--AND A GREAT GRIEF--"



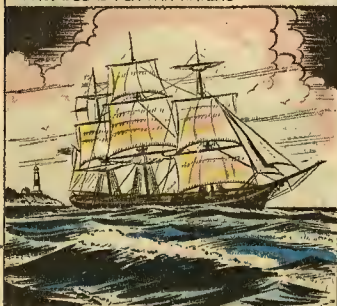
LOOKS LIKE SHE'LL BE A STOUT CRAFT.

AYE, BUT THERE'S A SAD STORY BEHIND HER! HER BUILDER'S **CAPTAIN NATHANIEL ROSE!** HE PLANS TO TAKE HIS WIFE TO SEA IN HER, HOPING TO EASE THE PAIN OF THE DEATH OF THEIR LITTLE DAUGHTER **ELLEN!**

IT--IT'S OUR LITTLE GIRL TO THE LIFE! BUT DON'T CRY, NANCY! I WANT YOU TO BE **HAPPY ABOARD THE ELLEN ROSE!**



"AND THE **ELLEN ROSE** CLOVE INTO THE SEAS, BOUND FOR FAR WATERS --"



SHE ANSWERS THE WHEEL LIKE SOMETHING **ALIVE!**

SHE--SHE'S A WONDERFUL CRAFT! I LOVE HER ALREADY!



"YES, IN A **STRANGE** WAY, THEY CAME TO LOVE THE SHIP ALMOST AS THEY HAD THEIR LITTLE DAUGHTER --AND AS TIME PASSED, STRANGELY, IT WAS AS IF THE SHIP RETURNED THEIR LOVE! SHE STARTED HER LAST RECORDED VOYAGE ON **MARCH 16TH, 1856--**"

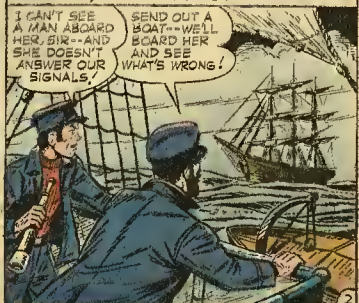
THERE'S THE **ELLEN ROSE** SETTING TO SEA! FUNNY, THE THINGS YOU HEAR ABOUT HER-- THAT SHE SEEMS ALMOST EAGER TO OBEY EVERY DESIRE OF HER CAPTAIN'S HAND ON THE WHEEL!



"THAT WAS THE LAST EVER SEEN OR HEARD OF THE CRAFT, UNTIL --MANY MONTHS LATER--"

I CAN'T SEE A MAN ABOARD HER, SIR--AND SHE DOESN'T ANSWER OUR SIGNALS.

SEND OUT A BOAT--WE'LL BOARD HER AND SEE WHAT'S WRONG!





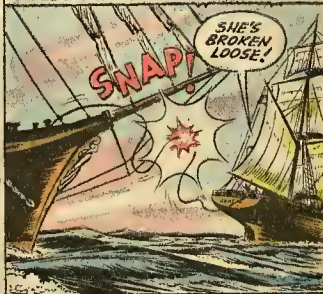
"NOT A SOUND, EXCEPT FOR CREAKING ROPES AND THE WAVES LAPPING HER LONELY HULL! THEY CLAMBERED TO THE DECK --"



"THERE WAS NOTHING TO DO BUT ATTACH A LINE TO HER AND START HAULING HER BACK TO PORT --"



"BUT THE ELLEN ROSE WASN'T EASY TO TOW! SHE SEEMED TO BE FIGHTING THE CABLE EVERY INCH OF THE WAY--UNTIL--"



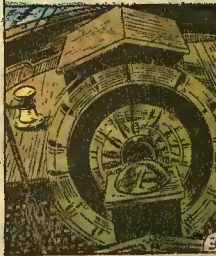
"SWIFTLY, STRANGELY, THE DERELICT SHIP HEELED ABOUT-- AS IF INTENT UPON A COURSE OF HER OWN --"

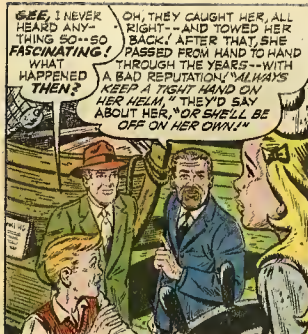


"THEY HAD TO PURSUE AND GET A CABLE ONTO HER AGAIN-- ONE SHE COULDN'T BREAK! STUBBORNLY, SHE FOUGHT THE LINE, BUT THEY BROUGHT HER BACK! THEY THOUGHT SHE WAS MOORED SAFELY AT THE DOCK, BUT SHE BROKE HER HAWSER-- AND HEADED FOR OPEN SEA ONCE MORE--"



"DON'T THINK SHE WAS DRIFTING-- SHE WASN'T! SHE WAS A SHIP WITHOUT A HELMSMAN -- BUT HER WHEEL TURNED PURPOSIVELY -- SETTING A DEFINITE COURSE --"

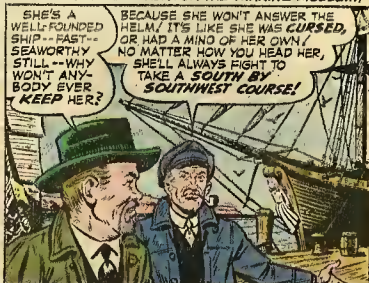




GEE, I NEVER HEARD ANYTHING SO--SO FASCINATING! WHAT HAPPENED THEN?

OH, THEY CAUGHT HER, ALL RIGHT--AND TOWED HER BACK! AFTER THAT, SHE PASSED FROM HAND TO HAND THROUGH THE YEARS--WITH A BAD REPUTATION! ALWAYS KEEP A TIGHT HAND ON HER HELM, THEY'D SAY ABOUT HER, OR SHE'LL BE OFF ON HER OWN!

"BUT SHE WAS ONE OF THE BEST SPECIMENS OF AN OLD-FASHIONED SAILING VESSEL I'D EVER SEEN--SO WHEN I HEARD SHE WAS UP FOR AUCTION, I DETERMINED TO PURCHASE HER FOR THE MARINE MUSEUM!"



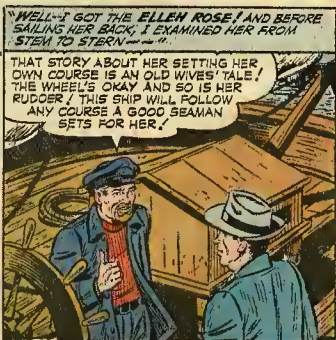
SHE'S A WELL-FOUNDED SHIP--FAST--SEAWORTHY STILL--WHY WON'T ANYBODY EVER KEEP HER?

BECAUSE SHE WON'T ANSWER THE HELM! IT'S LIKE SHE WAS CURSED, OR HAD A MIND OF HER OWN! NO MATTER HOW YOU HEAD HER, SHE'LL ALWAYS FIGHT TO TAKE A SOUTH BY SOUTHWEST COURSE!



IT'S ALMOST AS IF THERE'S SOME PLACE SHE'S GOT TO GET TO, AND LIKE ALL HER OTHER OWNERS, I'M TIRED OF FIGHTING HER!

WELL, MY MUSEUM WANTS HER--NOT ONLY FOR HER LINES, BUT BECAUSE OF THE MYSTERY OF WHAT HAPPENED TO HER. CAPTAIN AND CREW A HALF-CENTURY AGO! I'M GOING TO BID ON HER!



"WELL--I GOT THE ELLEN ROSE! AND BEFORE SAILING HER BACK, I EXAMINED HER FROM STEM TO STERN--"

THAT STORY ABOUT HER SETTING HER OWN COURSE IS AN OLD WIVES' TALE! THE WHEEL'S OKAY AND SO IS HER RUDDER! THIS SHIP WILL FOLLOW ANY COURSE A GOOD SEAMAN SETS FOR HER!

"AND SO I RECRUITED A CREW AND STARTED SAILING THE OLD ELLEN ROSE BACK TOWARD THE MUSEUM AT MELBOURNE--"



"EVERYTHING WORKED LIKE A CHARM--AT FIRST! BUT IT WASN'T LONG UNTIL--"

WHAT'S GOING ON HERE? I DIDN'T SET THIS COURSE--HOW COME YOU'RE HEADING SOUTH BY SOUTHWEST?

IT--IT'S NOT ME, CAPTAIN! LOOK--SHE'S DOING IT HERSELF!

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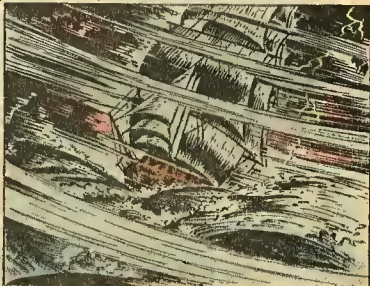




NONSENSE--
HERE, LET ME
TAKE OVER!
I'LL--WHAT
THE--!

"TO MY AMAZEMENT, I FOUND THAT IT
WAS JUST AS HE SAID. THE WHEEL
WAS HOLDING SOUTH BY SOUTHWEST!"

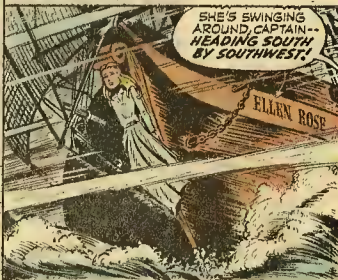
"WITH DIFFICULTY THE ELLEN ROSE WAS FORCED
BACK ON THE PROPER COURSE--BUT WE HAD TO
FIGHT HER EVERY INCH OF THE WAY. IT WAS THEN
THAT WE RAN INTO A HOWLING HURRICANE--"



CAPTAIN!
THE RUDDER
--IT'S
SNAPPED!

THAT MEANS
WE'RE HELPLESS
--WE'LL BE
SWAMPED!

"BUT STRANGELY ENOUGH, THE OLD SHIP
WASN'T WALLOWING IN THE STORMY SEA!
IT SEEMED TO HAVE AN ODD PURPOSEFULNESS
TO ITS MOVEMENTS AS--"

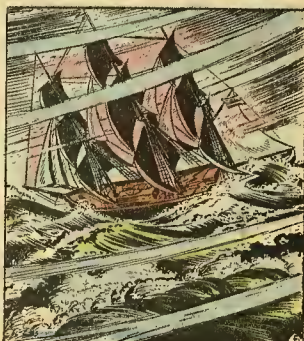


SHE'S SWINGING
AROUND, CAPTAIN--
HEADING SOUTH
BY SOUTHWEST!



THERE'S NOTHING WE
CAN DO ABOUT IT!
WE'VE GOT TO LET HER
TAKE US WHERE SHE
WANTS TO GO--AND
MAYBE WE'LL FIND
OUT WHY!

"THE WINDS
ROSE TO A
SHRIEKING
BLAST AS
THE STORM
WORSENE!
BUT
NOTHING
COULD
STOP THE
ELLEN
ROSE
AS SHE
KNIFED
THROUGH
THE
TOSSING
WATERS--
ON AND ON
--TOWARDS
AN
UNKNOWN
GOAL!"



"FINALLY --"

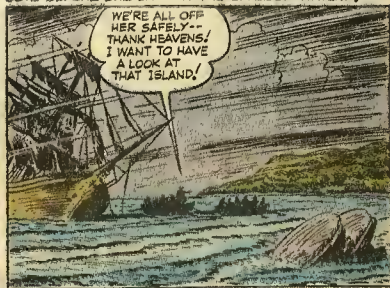


THE STORM'S BATTERING HAS BEGUN TO TELL, CAPTAIN! THE SEAMS ARE OPENING AND SHE'S TAKING WATER FAST!

WE--WE CAN'T ABANDON SHIP--SMALL BOATS WON'T LIVE IN THIS SEA.

ISLAND OFF PORT NOW!

"IT WAS AN UNCHARTED ISLAND, FAR OFF SHIPPING LANES! AND THE GALLANT OLD ELLEN ROSE HUNG ON DESPERATELY, ALMOST CLAWING ITS WAY INTO THE COVE BEFORE SHE SANK IN THE SHALLOW WATERS!"



WE'RE ALL OFF HER SAFELY-- THANK HEAVENS! I WANT TO HAVE A LOOK AT THAT ISLAND!

"FORTUNATELY, I COULD TAKE ALONG RADIO EQUIPMENT THAT I'D HAD ABOARD, AND WAS ABLE TO SEND OUT AN S.O.S! THEN WE SET OUT TO INVESTIGATE THE TERRAIN"

IT'S WILD COUNTRY-- WE'RE PROBABLY THE FIRST WHITE MEN EVER TO SET FOOT HERE!

MAYBE, BUT I KEEP THINKING ABOUT HOW THE SHIP SEEMED TO STRUGGLE TO BRING US HERE--AND "WONDERING--"



"IT WAS THEN THAT WE STUMBLED OVER THE RUINS OF AN OLD HUT --"

WHOEVER MADE IT DIDN'T EVEN HAVE TOOLS! I'D SAY IT WAS A LONG TIME AGO!

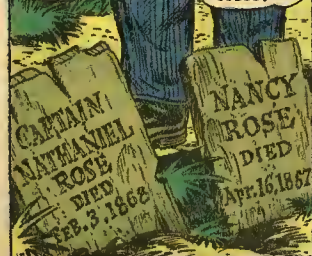
YES-- AT LEAST A HALF CENTURY!

CAPTAIN-- LOOK HERE!



SO THAT'S WHAT HAPPENED TO THEM-- HERE'S WHERE IT ALL ENDED!

THERE ARE SOME OTHER HEADBOARDS BACK THERE--ALL THAT'S LEFT OF THE CREW, I GUESS!



"But THERE WERE STILL QUESTIONS TO BE ANSWERED! SEARCHING THROUGH THE ANCIENT HUT, WE FOUND--"



HER LOG-- MAYBE THIS WILL SOLVE THE MYSTERY!



HERE'S SOMETHING!-- AUGUST 23RD, 1856--A STORM HAS BLOWN US FAR OFF OUR COURSE AND WATER SUPPLIES ARE LOW, BUT FORTUNATELY WE HAVE SIGHTED AN UNCHARTED ISLAND WHERE WE SHALL LAND TO GET WATER AND FRESH FRUIT--



"AUGUST 25TH, 1856--THIS IS A LOVELY PLACE. NOW ALL OF THE CREW HAVE COME ASHORE TO DISPORT THEMSELVES, AND EVEN NANCY ENJOYS THIS ISOLATED SPOT--"

IT'S SO BEAUTIFUL HERE, NATHANIEL! DID YOU HAVE TO BRING THAT OLD LOG BOOK ASHORE AND SPEND YOUR TIME WRITING IN IT?

CAPTAIN! THE STORM--IT SEEMS TO BE BLOWING UP AGAIN!

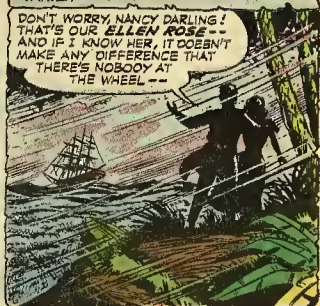


"NEVER DID SUCH A GALE ARISE SO SUDDENLY! IT RIPPED THE ANCHOR FROM THE ELLEN ROSE, DRIVING HER HEADLONG OUT TO SEA--"



"WE STOOD IN THE RAIN, WATCHING HER VANISH--"

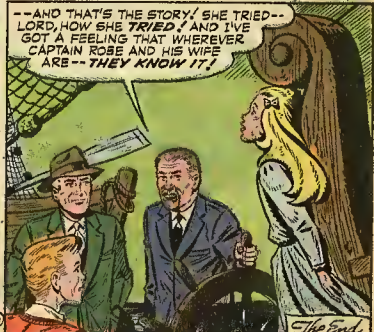
DON'T WORRY, NANCY DARLING! THAT'S OUR ELLEN ROSE-- AND IF I KNOW HER, IT DOESN'T MAKE ANY DIFFERENCE THAT THERE'S NOBODY AT THE WHEEL--



--SHE WON'T LEAVE US IN A FIX LIKE THIS! SHE'LL COME BACK FOR US ON HER OWN!

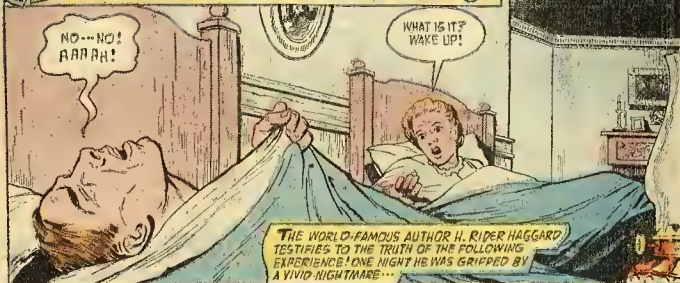


--AND THAT'S THE STORY! SHE TRIED-- LORD, HOW SHE TRIED! AND I'VE GOT A FEELING THAT WHEREVER CAPTAIN ROBE AND HIS WIFE ARE-- THEY KNOW IT!



The End

ANNALS OF THE OCCULT!



UPON AWAKING, HE RECALLED THE DREAM CLEARLY...

I---I SEEMED TO SEE OUR DOG, BOB, LYING AMONG BRUSHWOOD, NEAR WATER---AND HE WAS DEAD! LET'S SEE IF HE'S ALL RIGHT!

STOP WORRYING! I'M SURE HE'S IN HIS KENNEL---AS USUAL!



BUT THE AUTHOR INSISTED ON MAKING SURE...

HERE, BOB! BOB, WHERE ARE YOU?

HE'S NOT IN HIS KENNEL, AND HE'S NOT ANSWERING OUR CALL! HE MUST HAVE WANDERED OFF SOMEWHERE!



NEXT DAY---

BOB STILL HASN'T COME HOME! IF HE WERE ALIVE, HE'D BE HERE!

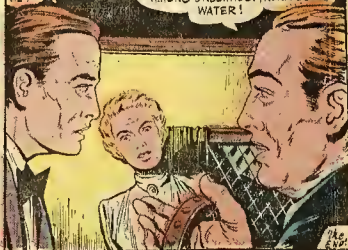
COME NOW! SURELY YOU DON'T BELIEVE IN DREAMS!



THREE DAYS LATER, A RAILWAY WORKER BROUGHT SAD NEWS---

YES, THAT COLLAR BELONGS TO MY DOG! WHERE IS HE?

I FOUND HIM THIS MORNING NEAR THE RAILROAD TRACKS---HE MUST HAVE BEEN STRUCK BY A PASSING TRAIN IN THE NIGHT! HE WAS LYING AMONG BRUSHWOOD, NEAR SOME WATER!



Are **YOU**
SKINNY
like I was?

a 60 lb.
weakling
who became
world's
strongest
man



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You can
be, too!



BEFORE

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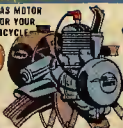
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